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Sir:

This is a request for filing a patent application under 35 U.S.C. 371 of the international application identified below:

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/DK2005/000034		INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE January 20, 2005			
APPLICANT(S)/INVENTOR(S)					
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TITLE OF THE INVENTION					
Xylanase					

- 1.. This is a first submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- 2. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)).
- 3. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) has been communicated by the International Bureau.
- 4. The application contains the following parts:

Specification	10 Pages	
Abstract	1 Pages	
Sequence Listing	4 Pages	
Drawings	0 Pages	
Total	15 Pages	

- 5. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) have not been made and will not be made.
- 6. An application data sheet is enclosed.
- 7. Priority of Danish application no. PA 2004 00263 filed on February 20, 2004 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d).

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- 8. The benefit of U.S. provisional application no. 60/547,301 filed on February 23, 2004 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119(e).
- 9. An oath or declaration of the inventors is submitted herewith.
- 10. An Information Disclosure Statement is submitted herewith.
- 11. An Assignment and Recordation Form Cover Sheet are submitted herewith.
- 12. A Preliminary Amendment is submitted herewith.
- 13. Applicants enclose a paper copy and a computer readable form of a Sequence Listing. The content of the paper copy and of the computer readable form is the same.
- 14. The assignee of the present application is:

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Applicants request that the assignee information be included in the published patent application.

- 15. Direct all correspondence to Customer Number 25908.
- 16. The following fees are submitted:

BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5)):

Basic Fee:	\$300.00
Examination Fee:	\$200.00
Search Fee:	\$500.00
Size Fee (\$250 for each 50 pages above 100)	\$0.00
CLAIMS FEE	
Total Claims: 20 - 20 = 0 x 50 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims: 5 - 3 = 2 x 200 =	\$400.00
Total Claims Fee:	\$0.00
FEE FOR RECORDING ASSIGNMENT	\$40.00
TOTAL NATIONAL FEE	\$1,440.00

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17. Please charge the required fee, estimated to be \$1,440, to Novozymes North America, Inc., Deposit Account No. 50-1701. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

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I hereby certify that the following attached papers or fee

- 1. Transmittal Letter to the DO/EO/US (in duplicate)
- 2. Executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
- 3. Application Data Sheet
- 4. Preliminary Amendment
- 5. Recordation Form Cover Sheet
- 6. Assignment
- 7. Paper Copy of Sequence Listing
- Disk Containing Sequence Listing
- 9. Information Disclosure Statement
- 10. Form PTO/SB/08A
- 11. Copy of References

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